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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated December 8, 1998 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 4, 5, and 27-30.

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